



Minutes 44rd SHLG meeting

Teams online-meeting October 27, 2022, 14-17 CET

	Thursday October 27, 2022
	FORMALITIES AND GOVERNANCE
1.1	The minutes from the meeting in the spring 2022 (Helsinki) and the agenda for this meeting were presented by Karl and approved by the participants.
1.2	The names of the Board members and associates were updated (Karl/Ilse).
	ORGANEXCHANGEANDTRANSPLANTATION ACTIVITY
2.1	The transplantation and waiting list figures for the 3. Quarter 2022 were presented by Ilse.
2.2	Activity report on urgent calls and rota list were presented by Ilse.
2.3	Heart and lung donor rota offer – why some offers are not accepted by any center – a guide to general rules when to offer? The donor data was presented and discussed, but there is no general registry of reasons for not accepting organs. Ilse will encourage the Coordinators to improve registration of donor data at the coming meeting of the coordinator group.
2.4	Taisto from the SPedHLG presented a proposal for changes to transplantation listing rules for pediatric cardiac patients. The proposed changes were accepted unanimously and will be amended by Ilse in the guidelines. Updated guidelines: Rules for THORACIC Organ exchange in the Scandiatransplant area
	SCANDIATRANSPLANT REGISTRY
3.1	The work of the group to revise the YASWA Thorax registry was presented. All present were encouraged to improve registration. Ilse will disseminate reports of how well each centre is doing.
3.2	Update on YASWA Thorax Registry.
3.3	Future of Scandiatransplant heart and lung registry was discussed. All the participants agreed that there is a need for a registry in the Scandiatransplant. To improve the data input in the registry, all the centers will be asked for their commitment and in the first step some core data will be asked to be filled in before the next meeting. Chairman will send a letter with the information to all the centers during November 2022
	CLINICAL ACTIVITY
4.1	DCD – Current status at our centers: Lund, Gothenburg, and Copenhagen have been going in lungs. Oslo and possibly Helsinki are planning for lungs.
4.2	ELVP – Current status at our centers: There is no running program in any center of Scandiatransplant.
4.3	Lung Transplant and COVID-ARDS – Current experience: None done so far in Oslo, Copenhagen, or Helsinki, five in Gothenburg, one in Lund, and one in Tartu. The results are encouraging.
4.4	Update on the evaluation of membership for Latvia and Lithuania and discussion: Are reported from the Scandiatransplant Council meeting and cited the minutes which can be found at the Scandiatransplant homepage.
	RESEARCH
5.1	EVOLVD study – no report
5.2	DAPHART study – no report
5.3	Scandiatransplant COVID-19 study – Sandra suggested that the Scandiatransplant COVID-19 follow-up study will be restricted to lung transplant recipients only, excluding the heart recipients.
5.4	ScanCLAD (lung) study – Jesper expects the first manuscripts to be submitted the

	coming spring.
5.5	EPOS (lung) – no report
5.6	ECP (photopheresis) study – no report
5.7	Other studies: Inflammatory heart study, Pulmonary Hypertension study – no report
5.8	NEXT MEETING, DATE, VENUE AND FORM: The next meeting will be an overnight meeting in Lund, Sweden March 30-31. Sandra, Hillevi and Johan will arrange.

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November 9th, 2022